

LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE
Knox County EMA- 301 Park St.-Rockland, ME 04841
Web Site: www.knoxcountymaine.gov/ema

6/2/2015 LEPC Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 1030 by Andrew Hart, Chairman at Knox County EMA Office.

Meeting Attendees:

Ray Sisk	Knox Cty. EMA Director	Andrew Hart	Knox County Administrator
Donna Allen	Knox Cty. EMA Admin. Asst.	Jeff Marcotte	Maritime Energy
Laurie Beckwith	PBMC	Jesse Simko	MRC - Rockport
Robert Williams	DEP		

- Jesse Simko made the motion to accept the minutes of 4/7/15 and Ray Sisk seconded the motion. Minutes were approved with corrections.

Secretary's Report:

Correspondence:

- AR-1 Form- 4/9/15 -Heating Oil Spill,
- Letter's return for reminder to report: Knox Mill Building #6 and Ferraiolo Construction. Jeff will hand deliver the letter to Ferraiolo's.
- Tier's 2 received since last meeting: Union Elementary School, Spruce Head Fisherman's Co-op and Vinalhaven Fisherman's Co-op.
- E-mails from Robert Gardner & Faith Mayer: Improving Chemical Facility Safety and Security; WISER Info System for Emergency Responders; HazMat IQ above the Line/Below the Line Training.

Treasurer's Report:

Received March 2015: LEPC Grant Reimbursements: HM 8049-\$11896.02; HM 8071-\$; HM 8072-\$ interest-\$23.27

Received April 2015: LEPC Grant Reimbursements: HM 8049-\$9739.54; HM 8071-\$3634.78; HM8072- \$9209.99.
Interest:
\$ 21.41

Bills pd out in March 2015: Personal Services: \$262.99; General Operating Expenses: \$51.98; HM 8049-\$882.40; HM 8071-\$1788.47; HM 8072-\$1741.34

Bills pd. out in April 2015: Personal Services: \$371.18; General Operating Expenses: \$66.68; HM 8049-\$ 352.59; HM 8071-\$2461.12; HM 8072-\$4292.77

LEPC Operational Fund balance as of April 2015	\$366.41
Grant and other fund balances as of April 2015	<u>\$100069.89</u>
Total balance in checkbook as of April 2015	\$100436.29

Laurie Beckwith made the motion to accept the Treasurer Report and Robert Williams seconded the motion. All approved.

Training & Exercises updates:

Portable-Pipelines for 1 st Responders	Knox County EMA	June 17, 2015 1200-1600 hrs
XNG Compressed Natural Gas Truck Fam	Knox County EMA	June 17, 2015 1700-1900 hrs
Basic Public Information Officer Course	MEMA (Orono)	June 24 & 25, 2015

DEP- Annual Response Hazmat Technician/Response Training	Greenville	1 st week – June 15-19, 2015 2 nd week – June 22-26, 2015
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Ray discussed the Portable-Pipelines and XNG Compressed Natural Gas Truck training. Donna will send Laurie the flyer about the Basic Public Information Officer Course.

Robert explained what Annual Response Hazmat Technician Response training will entail

There is no training down here for OPS level so Tom Johnston, Tim Polky and about 4 other guys will put a syllabus together and present it to SERC to see if they will approve in house trainers. It was that ability we lost when we shut down the Hazmat Team. We have plenty of Awareness instructors but no OPS Level instructors. Robert Williams said that he would be happy to help with the training. There was discussion of issue of instructors.

Laurie stated that the PBMC next portion of exercise will be at the end of August and the full scale will be late fall or early winter.

Laurie attended an Active Shooter Training in Augusta on 5/21/15.

We haven't heard anything from FMC about the exercise that they wanted to have. The training on the 17th was supposed to be the lead in for an exercise with them.

New Business:

None at this time.

Miscellaneous/Old Business:

- County website online! www.knoxcountymaine.gov/lepc. Continue to need your input for LEPC content. In conjunction with the webpage a Facebook page has been set up.
- We have the photo agonizer that have been placed with the town of Rockport and St. George. This for MidCoast Rec in Rockport and Sea Hag Seafood in St. George. There was a lengthy discussion on the issue of Sea Hag Seafood. We will have an update for Sea Hag at the next meeting.
- There was discussion about the Mohegan vessel that still may have fuel on board.
- Next regular LEPC meeting will be **August 4, 2015 at 10:30 AM**, at the EMA Office at 301 Park St.
- Andrew Hart made a motion and Ray Sisk seconded the motion to adjourn. All in favor.

Meeting Adjourned: 11:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Allen

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LEPC Secretary